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Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following items for filing in connection with the above-referenced Patent Application:

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed June 15, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

A set of claims is presented on page 2. No amendments have been made to the claims.

Remarks begin on page 7.